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## SUMMARY.

**Chil-  
dren.** A dreadful disaster is reported to have occurred at the new theatre, where a large number of children were present. The theatre was a magnificent structure, costing £250,000, and was one of the finest in the world. The disaster occurred on the night of the performance of the opera "Carmen". The children were in the audience, and the disaster occurred when the children were in the audience. The children were in the audience, and the disaster occurred when the children were in the audience.

## FARMER AND COMPANY.

**TO-DAY.**  
**JANUARY 1, 1904.**  
**OUR ENTERTAINMENTS.**  
**REMAIN CLOSED.**  
**REOPEN.**  
**TO-MORROW, JANUARY 2.**  
**AS USUAL.**  
**TO OUR PATRONS AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY.**  
**NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS.**

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**OPEN FOR BUSINESS AS USUAL TO-MORROW, SATURDAY.**  
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## SEAR'S.

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LAUGHTY NAN

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JOHN LUTHER LONG.  
(ALL RIGHTS RESERVED.)  
LXVII.  
AN ARCHANGEL I COULD NOT  
GET THAT NAME BACK!  
I asked the next day, before Nan  
was going to be very hard!  
I asked her, and she answered me brusquely that  
After a long look, he said—  
"You are going to be bad at all. I never saw  
any woman at this stage of her life who was so  
bad, young man."  
I was quite sorry at what he said, but I did not think that  
the next day, I did not think that  
fancy that it was because of what  
she said on the yesterday. That she  
said it my solution of a bad problem to  
be a little and is not far off, thank

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Winked against, rained, made  
 the rain that was of  
 With the said Paraphy  
 back, the curtain back on these  
 We'll be true a very close tri-  
 and, the curtain will, then  
 goes to every in the  
 very small form as before  
 shadow of the paper free-  
 Five to eleven, the  
 Not to struggle, very close  
 and another. Right hand  
 Let us see the view there'll be  
 the rain, the rain, the rain  
 through the view there'll be on count-  
 p. with and read with  
 nitre to contribute,  
 With the thought of recurrence  
 through the true with clear acumen,  
 being you of bright  
 Take these rows in them out  
 What is the "blue"  
 Percy Crowe, the violinist  
 the violinist  
 P. Chang the mandolinist! Ursula  
 Ciraodora, to dramatic!  
 occupied to be a read, dra-  
 ally," "Belief in Bunnie, the poet!"  
 the hand and the hand page  
 with a p. at the corner.

room, Jack! "Homeward; or Lines to  
be read, fought; but wanting to cry  
"Woe! Woe!" again.  
"I feel! Sniff!"  
"Was a huge lump of fragrant rose  
"I also thrust to my  
"Woe, woe!"  
"I mentioned a vast piece of paper:  
it is at Alfred Featherstone Grimsd!  
put a snaffle of thick card tight  
and under. The corners were trimmed off  
underneath Colfax Gooden!"  
"I saw a man on horse for something long  
on Colls. How I quite know what."  
"I saw!"  
"This is just of all."  
"The other and larger piece of paper, con-  
sequently square."  
(To be continued.)

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prices eased away, and the year closed showing almost the same basis as in January.

The appended table gives a general idea of

the average prices from month to month for  
potato produce during the past year, also  
average prices for the month of January.

Month.	Chad.	Union	Lucena.	Stew.
January	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
February	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
March	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
April	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
May	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
June	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
July	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
August	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
September	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
October	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
November	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
December	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0

Average prices for this and previous years.

Year	Chad.	Union	Lucena.	Stew.
1903	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1904	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1905	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1906	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1907	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1908	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1909	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1910	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1911	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1912	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1913	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1914	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1915	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1916	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1917	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1918	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1919	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1920	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1921	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1922	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1923	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1924	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1925	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1926	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1927	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1928	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1929	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1930	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1931	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1932	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1933	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1934	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1935	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
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1974	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1975	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1976	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1977	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1978	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
1979	4.0	4.0		



**WELCOMING 1904.**  
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**CRACKED AND NOISY STREETS.**  
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superior Briton is rather apt to sneer at the cracker-bursting, noise-accompanied New Year. But a per-survey of the streets last night would

that the Australian, especially the poorer portion of the community, is quite capable of making an unmitigated nuisance of itself at the close of one period of time and the beginning of another.

Night was made hideous, and what really a solemn occasion was vulgarized by frivolities and noise. Nevertheless, it is fit in good humour and custom, and if it is to be in the future to be to express a particular sense of decorum, it is far from being marked with excess.

The New Year was not only hailed and observed by the masses, but by the aristocracy of Sydney. Many of the churches were closed, and they were largely attended, believing that a New Year, with all its promises of better things—or worse—was now beginning, and that it was worth the pains of the New Year's Eve for the pleasing effect. Thanks were offered for the splendid promise for those who win their bread from the soil, and for the better

some, those whose outlook goes past the gates of the Commonwealth, the New Year is a happy and merry time. But the Powers are facing each other, and the most optimistic can hardly hope for a difficult and stormy New Year. They are susceptible of peaceful arrangement, meantime the New Year has dawned; happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, happy, and the people of the world, respectively.

### IN THE STREETS.

From the madding crowd, folks in the streets last night could scarcely hope to be all; it was a red-letter night, a grand occasion of the kind of the year, a brighted hopes, and the birth of the year, with its promises of a brighter future, therefore a time of universal festivity and massive merrymaking. Consequently was a sudden opening of the sluices, a great flood of money humanely. All were eager to see their friends, and to see the flood and to swell the tide of amusement

had been stirred into motion by the news of the earthquake. Every-  
where began to undergo their remark-  
able transformations. The streets, as  
so often, and the splendid electric tram  
lines, were crowded with people. A  
part of the city began to emit a con-  
stant stream of steam from the  
warming bed of the cars as they  
went along the thoroughfare crowded with  
people. The sidewalks were covered  
by the observer and the obviously mas-  
culine, dark-street clothes of the  
crowd, presented a scented mass of human  
life moving in the direction of the  
electric lights. Around the fashion-  
able, the Strand, then round the  
office into George-street, back into Pitt-  
street, and in each direction, a series  
of incidents for entertainment.  
At a corner, a woman, who, as yet, a  
few of the familiar kind. Somebody had  
fallen, and the crowd gathered round  
but he weeps. That symbol of decorum  
and restraint—the policeman—had  
been, and in its place rested on male hands  
and of covering that he had been  
seen, and in each direction, a series  
of incidents for entertainment. Behind  
the woman, again, he noticed could catalogue  
the various carriages, the women, the  
united girlish faces, beaming with  
the joy of the occasion, and the  
and the prospect of being escorted home at  
night.

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**EASTERN AT ISLAND.**

THURSDAY ISLAND, Thursday.  
E. and A. liner Eastern arrived today  
China and Japan. She brings the fol-  
lowing passengers:  
Brisbane—Medames Moodie, Keller-  
Messrs. D. Jacobson, Moodie, Kall-  
Sydney—Colonel James (of Canada),  
Lieutenant G. Griffiths (Royal Australian Air  
Adelaide)—Miss Davoren, Mr. D. K. Hol-  
Eastern also bringing 11 second and steer-  
age passengers, and 38 Chinese for all ports.

"Ma" has an account, with illustra-  
tions, of the latest curiosity, "A house that  
talks with the Sun."—Advt.



## THE WAR CLOUD.

## IN THE FAR EAST.

## JAPAN MUST FIGHT.

## IF DEMANDS NOT ACCEPTED.

## ENFORCING DIPLOMACY.

LONDON, Dec. 31. The "Lokal Anzeiger," of Berlin, announces that Japan has informed the Powers that the present situation in regard to her relations with Russia cannot be maintained and that Japan must fight if Russia does not immediately accept her demands.

It is reported in semi-official circles in Berlin that the German Government is aware that Japan is mobilising her forces to enforce her diplomatic representations to Russia in regard to Manchuria and Korea.

It is thought in Berlin that Russia will not regard the landing of Japan's troops in the south of Korea. M. Takahira, the Japanese Minister at Washington, states that the situation causes the greatest concern, and that Japan is preparing to send an Ambassador to Washington, thinking that it is still possible to avoid war.

## HOW RUSSIA PREPARED.

## PLANTING HER WARSHIPS.

## ADVOCATES A CHINESE RAILWAY.

## LONDON, Dec. 31.

Admiral Alexeiev, the Viceroy of the Russian possessions in the Far East, after showing Hu-yu-fen, the director of Northern Railway, China, the warships of various classes at Port Arthur, proposed that China should build a railway from Hain-min-tung to Mukden, thus bringing Mukden within 24 hours' travel of Peking. Admiral Alexeiev offered to provide the money.

Hu-yu-fen declared that he must consult the Government at Peking. Admiral Alexeiev thereupon pressed Hu-yu-fen to urge the Chinese Government to accept an Imperial Prince to Port Arthur as to arrange matters away from Japanese intrigues.

Hain-min-tung is the present terminus of the line from Hain-min-tung, from which it is distant 50 miles to the south of Peking. It is 50 miles to the south of Peking.

## THE FEELING AT ST. PETERSBURG.

## DISPLEASED WITH GREAT BRITAIN AND AMERICA.

## ACCUSES THEM OF ENCOURAGING THE JAPANESE.

## LONDON, Dec. 30.

There are indications of a strong current of irritation at St. Petersburg under cover of an outward air of calmness. Russia is convinced that unless they were encouraged by Great Britain and the United States the Japanese would never dare to declare war.

The unfriendly attitude of the Japanese is attributed to the support they are receiving from Great Britain and the United States.

## RUSSIA PREPARING FOR WAR.

## MANCHURIAN REINFORCEMENTS.

## LONDON, Dec. 30.

Russia is pushing forward her Field Medical columns. The Russian troops in Manchuria are continually being reinforced.

## A RUSSIAN NAVAL AUTHORITY.

## ADVERSE TO WAR AT PRESENT.

## LONDON, Dec. 31.

The Grand Duke Alexander Michaelovich, who is a high naval authority, has been ordered to return to St. Petersburg. It is understood that he is adverse to war until Russia's all-round naval equipment for the Far East is passed by him as being ready for all emergencies.

## JAPAN'S PURCHASE OF CRUISERS.

## LONDON, Dec. 31.

The "Times" confirms the report that the Japanese Government has purchased the Argentine armoured cruisers Moreno and Rivadavia, now completing in Italy. The purchase price was £1,000,000.

## OFFERS OF SERVICE.

## LONDON, Dec. 31.

Both Count Cassini, the Russian Ambassador at Washington, and M. Takahira, the Japanese Minister, are refusing numerous offers of service from Americans.

## NEWS FROM THE EAST.

## ATTITUDE OF JAPANESE PRESS.

## RELATIVE STRENGTH OF FLEETS.

## THE MAN BEHIND THE GUN.

## THURSDAY ISLAND, Thursday.

The latest news from the East by the steamer "Eastern," which arrived here today, shows very little fresh light on the Japanese-Russian dispute.

Japanese papers, discussing mainly the delay in the negotiations by Russia to gain time, are using the opportunity to attack the Japanese Government, but to take a decisive course, and decline to be deceived by Russian propaganda.

At the same time, Port Arthur papers, discussing the story of the occupation of Mukden, and two companies of troops having been sent to the town, are saying that the Japanese are to take to the Japanese-Russian dispute.

The talk of opposing Russia by the Chinese, which has been going on for some time, is to take to the Japanese-Russian dispute.

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## SPECIAL CABLES.

## FROM THE "HERALD'S" LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

## THE KING.

## VISIT TO THE CAZAR DENIED.

## LONDON, Dec. 31.

A rumour having gained credence that the King would visit the Czar during the coming season, Lord Knollys, the private secretary to His Majesty, authoritatively denies the report.

## LABOUR ON THE HAND.

## THE IMPORTATION OF CHINESE.

## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AGREES.

## LONDON, Dec. 31.

The motion proposed by Sir George Farrar in the Legislative Council of the Transvaal, proposing an experimental importation of 10,000 Chinese for the mines, has been carried by 22 votes against 4.

Sir Percy Fitzpatrick stated that the population and perhaps starvation would ensue if the present crisis were prolonged. When acquainted with the circumstances under the other States of the Empire would admit the right of the Transvaal to manage its own affairs.

Brink, a Dutchman who voted for the motion, declared that it was a shame that children should be kept from school to work in the fields which kills off the work.

## VICTORIA.

## INCREASES IN DIVORCES.

## MELBOURNE, Thursday.

A return prepared by the Government shows a steady increase in the number of divorces granted in Victoria. In 1898 the number was 100, in 1899, 105, in 1900, 110, in 1901, 115, in 1902, 120, in 1903, 125, in 1904, 130.

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## TERRIBLE THEATRE FIRE.

## A CHICAGO HORROR.

## PANIC-STRICKEN AUDIENCE, OVER SIX HUNDRED LIVES LOST.

## DESPERATE FIGHTING FOR LIFE.

## LONDON, Dec. 31.

A terrible calamity is reported from Chicago. The Iroquois Theatre, was burned yesterday during performance, and many of the spectators and actors were killed.

The Iroquois Theatre was a magnificent structure, opened only last November. It cost £210,000, and was modelled upon the Opera Comique of Paris. For the Christmas season the pantomime "Bluebird" was being played.

During the performance of the pantomime yesterday a fire began on a flimsy stage setting. There was an immediate panic among the 1200 people in the theatre. A wild rush was made for the exits, and the passages were specially blocked.

The occupants in the first balcony were caught in a trap, and fought desperately in the corridors. Some were burnt to cinders. Others were suffocated. Some again leapt from the balcony into the street, and many of them met their end. They were burnt to death.

In the height of the excitement two gas tanks exploded, hurling burning fragments through the roof.

MORQUE REFUSES BODIES. After 100 bodies had been removed to the morgue, the caretakers refused to receive any more.

Many of those recovered were bodies of young women and children.

Many people fainted in the passages, where they were trampled to death by others making frantic efforts to leave the building.

BRITISH IN THIBET.

## MISSION HALTED.

## LONDON, Dec. 31.

Owing to heavy losses of transport animals due to the great winter cold, the British mission to Thibet, under Colonel Younghusband, is halting in the Chumbi Valley. The health of the troops accompanying the mission is excellent.

SOUTH-WEST AFRICA.

## TIB HOTSPOTS RISING.

## POWER OF THE UNION JACK.

## LONDON, Dec. 30.

The Hottentots on the Orange River, South-west Africa, are rising. The British flag is being hoisted on the Orange River. The Hottentots are rising.

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## THE REFERENDUM.

## THE LATEST FIGURES.

## THE REFERENDUM AND AFTER.

## VIEWS OF MR. ROSE, M.L.A.

## LONDON, Dec. 31.

The following figures were given yesterday as the result of the referendum on the 10th inst. on the question of reduction of members:







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live, but she did not go out after the Gaze  
being until the distance was reached, and  
she then cut him down in fine style.  
grinding until the  
she has a heavy burden to carry, but  
as she is, probably, the best sprinter of the  
present time, she will make a very lively  
ride for her competitors from the jump to the  
finish. Sir Leonard should run well, but  
Famous is not very attractive on his record  
being Jewel, Golden Gleams, Westwa  
O'Grady, and Priorland.

**GOLF**

**AN ANNIVERSARY HANDICAP.**  
Mr. C. Moriarty, hon. sec. of the Wollongong

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nothing at Randwick that has gone through a better preparation than has not had the advantage of racing in public like some of her more seasoned competitors who promises to be a very hard nut to crack. Though labouring under the disadvantages of being a novice, the young filly has been against older horses. Sarto is entitled to some respect, and himself. A great race may be anticipated, in which the finish will be a close one.

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HURDLE RACE—About 2m.			
King Pin	Time	Antique	Rate
Transcendence	1:10	1	\$14
Antique	1:10	2	\$14
Landier	1:10	3	\$14
Landier	1:10	4	\$14
Landier	1:10	5	\$14
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Landier	1:10	98	\$14

W. Williams	1	5	Blanchard	7	Refuge	Bay 7	2
JUVENILE STAKES—							
Virgil	1	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	2	5	Graftonville	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	3	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	4	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	5	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	6	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	7	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	8	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	9	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	10	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
CABBINGTON STAKES—							
W. Williams	1	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	2	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	3	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	4	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	5	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	6	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	7	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	8	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	9	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10
W. Williams	10	5	Black	7	Cherokee	6	10

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The \$1000 could have been obtained, but it was passed up. The \$1000 was passed up by the club against her. Prince Lyon and Yule Kake could have been backed for \$1000, 20 to 1, but they were not. Over \$1000 was on offer at 1 to 1, and then the club was asked to back the horse. The club and Cressy at 25 to 1 were friends, and it so was Sarto, although \$1200 could have been obtained. The club was asked to back a solitary backer, who took \$50 to 1, but the club was not interested. The club was in silence. The following are the prices for the horses: Sarto, 10 to 1; Cressy, 25 to 1; Prince Lyon, 20 to 1; Yule Kake, 20 to 1; and the club, 10 to 1. The results were: Sarto, 10 to 1; Cressy, 25 to 1; Prince Lyon, 20 to 1; Yule Kake, 20 to 1; and the club, 10 to 1. The results were: Sarto, 10 to 1; Cressy, 25 to 1; Prince Lyon, 20 to 1; Yule Kake, 20 to 1; and the club, 10 to 1.

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**VICTORIAN SPORTING NEWS.**

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.  
Proceeders have been scratched for the Hagen Handicap, Bruce for the Hurdle Race, and the Derby for the Melbourne Cup. The V.R.C. New Year's Day meeting will take place at Caulfield last Saturday were £200 less than the corresponding day of last year.

Thursday,  
The following are the scratchings for the V.R.C. New Year's Day Meeting at Caulfield—

DON'T LOOK OLD.  
With advancing years grows increasing popularity. Don't Look Old has won the former couplet and promises the appearance of a new variety in the future. The new variety is made in Australia.

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**LADIES' SUMMER SHOW.**  
ALL IN THE MOST MODERN STYLE.  
In Stock The Vies Kid, the 1st and the 2d a pair.  
In Black The Vies Kid, the 1st and the 2d a pair.  
In Black Vies Kid, with patent ties, patent and  
diamond ties, called a pair.  
In Cal, 1st and 2d a pair.  
ALL LASTS OF RECENT MAKE.

committee of the Foresters' Club, and resulted in the disqualification of the horse by reason of the fresh evidence which was adduced. The committee was not officially notified of the disqualification, and the horse was conveyed to the Orange Jockey Club, who had let the Foresters' Club have the use of the track, one of the conditions being that all races should be conducted under the supervision of stewards appointed by the Orange Jockey Club. On Wednesday night the committee of the Foresters' Club, on the basis of the report of the stewards on the riding, decided to disqualify the horse, and having received the disqualification of Lady Argaun, decided to remove the horse from their domain.

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